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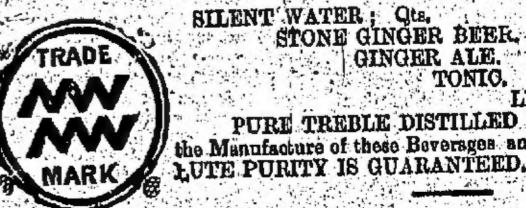
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JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, February 27, 1906.

16.40 GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO., LD. NOTICE OF MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA MEETING of the GREEN ISLAND CEM-ENT COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the OFFICE of the COMPANY, St NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the George's Building, Chater Road, Victoria, IN FIFTEENTH ORDINARY 1.65 of March, 19 6, at 11.30 o'clock a.M., when National Bank of China, Limited, will be on 7th March, 1906, will be submitted for 14TH APRIL, at NOOM, for the purposes

confirmation as a Special Resolution. following, namely :-RESOLUTION. That the Capital of the Company be increased to \$2,000,000 by the creation and issue of 50,000 New Shares of SiO each fully paidup, to be offered at par and if accepted to be alloted to the persons constituting the Shareholders of the Company according to TER of MEMBERS of the Company will the Company's register of Share- be CLOSED from the 31st day of March holders on the first day of July, 1906, to 14th April, 1906, both days inclusive. in the proportion of one New Share for every three Old Shares in the Company held by the respective Shareholders thereof, the amount payable on each of such New Shares to be paid on the 31st day of July, 1906, and that failing such allotment as aforesaid, the said New Shares be disposed of by the General Managers in accordance with the Company's Articles of Association."

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Managers. GREEN ISLAND CEMERT CO., LAD. Hongkong, March 7, 1906.

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MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the COMPANYS OFFICE, Sr. Groude BUILDING, on SATURDAY, the 24th of Merch, 1906, at 12 o'clock Noon, to receive a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1905, and the Report of the General Manager and Consulting Committee and to elect a Consulting Committee and Auditor. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com pany will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 24th March, both days inclusive. J. WHEELEY,

General Manager. Hongkong, March 9, 1996,

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THE TWENTY-FOURTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHARE. CAMPBELL, BOLDERS of the Company, will be held hat the OFFICES of the GENERAL AGENTS, on SATURDAY, the 31st March, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report and Statement of Accounts TO ARRIVE BY THE S.S. GLENSTRAE. to 31st December. 1905. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-

pany will be CLOSED from the 18th to 31st March, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Agents Hongkong, March 14, 1906.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE TWENTIETH ORDINARY AN NUAL MEETING of SHARE HOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, No. 29. Queen's Road Central, on SATURDAY, the 31st March, 1906, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report and Statement of accounts for the year ending 31st

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The Court of Peking has struggled hard to keep the influence of the "foreign devils" at bay, but the West is proving too strong for the conservative spirit of Far Cathay. Even the imperious Dowager, who is still the virtual ruler of the empire, was gratified when the ladies of the British concession came to her on her sixtisth For a good beverage get one whose effects are birthday, in order to offer to her a ailver casket, which contained a copy of the New Testament. Kuang Hati himself heard of the gift, and saked for a copy for personal use. Finding that the version was not the same, he promptdereturned it for correction-the idea of sacred writings being liable to change was repugnant to his pious instincts. As a boy he had a weakness for a toy mailway, which cost £20,000 to make, and to this may be due the tolerant bye with which the iron horse has been viewed of late throughout the empire. Both he and the Dowager-Empress are hald to be fond of strumming upon the plane. Once Kuang Hau gave orders for an English tuner to be er the paties for the purpose of repairing his instrument, and the result of the tuning was Sthat he sent) the perambulator lof his childhood to be done up by the same

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NOTIOE.

March, 1906.

To Hobekong, on SATURDAY, the 24th day ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to Conthe subjoined Resolution which was passed held at the Bank Premises, Quark's ROAD, unless Payment of Freight and Charges on at an Extraordinary General Meeting held Victoria, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the the undernoted Cargo is inside to the Undersigned on or before Noon on the 23ED MARCH, 1908, the Cargo will be To receive and consider Statement of Sold by Public Auction to defray freight and expenses incurred in landing and December, 19.5, the Reports of the storing into the Godowns of the Hongkong. Directors and Auditors thereon, to and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., elect Auditors and transact the other

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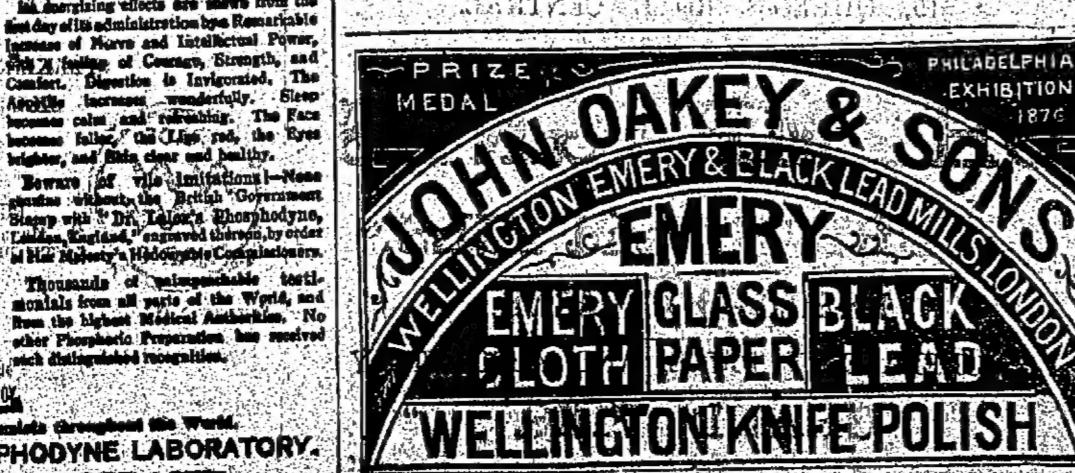
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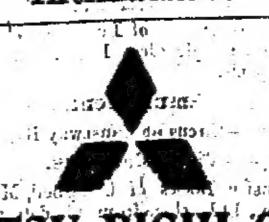
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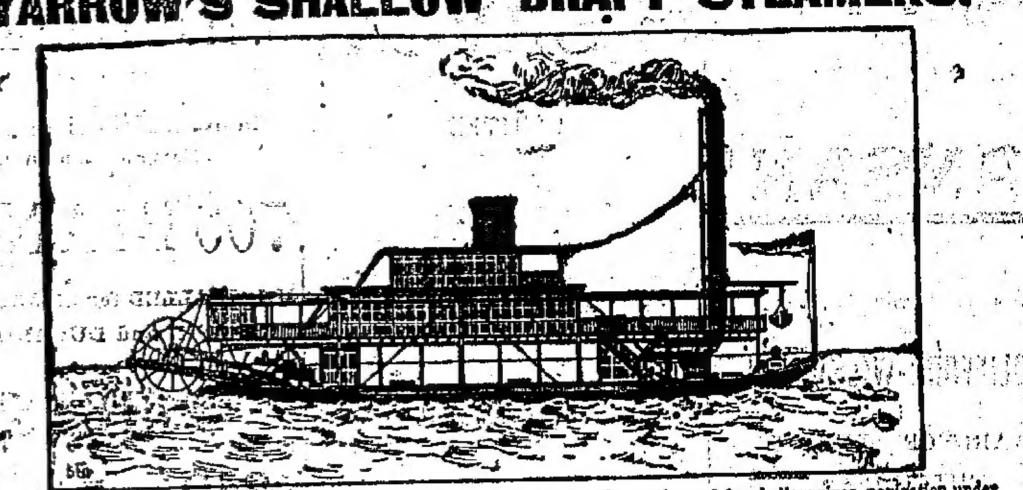
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General Memoranda,

TUEBDAY, March 20:-Noon-Auction of Leasehold Property, at Mesara Hughes & Hough's Sales 2.30 p.m. - Auction of Old Pekin Curlos, &c., at Mesers Hughes & Hough's Sales Rooms. 9 p.m .- Performance at City Hall. Goods per Gregory Apear undelivered after 4 p.m. on this date will be landed.

WEDNESDAY, March 21:ture, at 'Glenseskin' & No. 4, Sey-

THURSDAY, March 22 :-2.30 p.m. -Auction of Silver, Ivory, Lacquer & Sandalwood Ware, &c., at Mr. Geo. P. Lammert's Sales Rooms. SATURDAY, March 24 :-

11.30 a.m.-Meeting of Green Island Cement Co., Ld., at Co.'s Office. Noon-Meeting of China-Borneo Co., Ld., at Co,'s Offices. Noon-Auction of Rough Lumber fro ex s.s. Canfa, &c., at the Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co. Premises.

MONDAY, March 26 :-2.30 p.m.—Meeting of His Majesty's Justices of Peace at Magistracy. VEDNESDAY, March 28:-

3 p.m .- Auction of Lessehold Property, at Mr Geo. P. Lammert's Sales Room SATURDAY, March 31 :-Noon-Meeting of Luzon Sugar Refining Co., Ld., at General Agent's Office.

Noon-Meeting of Campbell, Moore & Co., Ld., at Co.'s Offices. Transfer Books & Register of Members of The National Bank of China, Ld., close from this date to 14th April inclusivo.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, BATURDAY, MARCH 17, 1908.

SIR HENRY CAMPBELL-BANNERMAN'S CONVERSION

THE repentant sinner is suppos- Poniatowski had cut, to the confusion of This has always seemed to us rather unfair to those who never sinned at all but the fact remains, Sir Henry Campbell Bannerman, ever since the cumstances may warrant the honourable he might might earned handsome fees Inglis," passed on. Balfour Government let the prize of exhibition of these falsifications; in by giving lessons to smart young Atoffice drop from their nervoless grasp, general, the only proper course to take henians in the elements of moral and to England, is almost entirely European in has shown a remarkable readiness not himself. That feat is usually only pretences they are, as a lesson accomplished after prolonged painful struggling, but the Liberal Prime Minister appears to find tergiversation not only supremely easy but rather a pleasant occupation. The Cabinet generally showed an extraordinary desire to climb down from the prayer at the tombs of their ancestors, high humanitarian perch from which will in future have their re-entry "Chinese slavery" in South Africa-A blend of the fixest WHISKIES as hastily as possible. Now they exhibit asingular desire to change the subject when any question of indentured labour is introduced. If driven into a Tew simple formalities before leaving, in corner and forced to give an expression order to qualify for an unopposed return. of opinion they smile deprecatingly and point out that the word slavery is rather severe and that there is a great deal to be said on each side of the question. But it is in regard to Pronounced by Conneisseurs to be the amazing light. It will be within the The following are also recom-2.00 mended, and are unsurpassed in proceedings in the House of Commons were reduced to a pitiable force. By 2.00 A.—Thorne's Blend ...\$12.00 whom? By Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the gentleman who is now

that a reformed burglar should be the best person to entrust with the tal of evolving precautions against break means, appeals strongly to the Departing and entering the Prime Minister ment of External Affairs. The Chinashould be eminently well qualified for man will be clever who finds a loophole the task he intimates he intends to undertake.

In every great museum there are numerous art forgeries. There is great difficulty in deciding what to do with sense of humour help one in the battle them. In some instances they have been of life. Following is an extract from the acquired at considerable cost and in article:-The punster is dead and gone, others they come into the possession of yet there are men not yet old who can the museums through the acceptance of recollect the "inextinguishable laughentire collections which contain many ter" that followed the silly word-contordesirable objects. Should fabrications 2.30 p.m.—Auction of Household Furni- be thrown out even though so doing involves the destruction of the "set?" Goods per Merionethshire undelivered Sir Caspar Purdon Clarke, one of the siter this date subject to rent. greatest living authorities on art matters, declares that forgeries should by no means be excluded but, when of cackle delightedly over the memory of excellent quality, should be exhibited as antiquated facetice. It is pathetic when representative of the period in which a man who honestly wishes to be amusthey were made. In other words he ing has outlived the vogue of his particonsiders that the specimen should be distinctly labelled spurious but retained as an example of excellence in fabrication. There is a great deal to be said for this suggestion. Many fabrications are in themselves works of great beauty and intrinsically they deserve inclusion in a collection. But a suggestion that has been made by some collectors that, inasmuch as the general public is usually wit and humour. There are those who grinder. unable to discriminate between the true maintain, not without reason, that the and the false, all really good forgeries making of jokes is no part of humour, sliculd be exhibited as belonging to the unless it be a joke against oneself. Now period in which they purport to have the first duty of a man to himself is to been made, cannot be supported. Any useum which does this becomes, so to speak, an accomplice in fraud, And already intimated, are really works of son in a world of eight hundred million of England with those of the United art in the true sense of the expression it cannot be too strongly stated that most mentator on life, not an actor. He is America. The knack of taking thingsforgeries are not art of any period. Any apt to console himself by mocking the apparent merit they may possess is efforts of strenuous inferiors. Some merely a reflection—a dilution of the the best wit and the wisest observations States." quality of some fine original. Even the have come from men whose ambitious marvellous intaglios which Prince deserve unstinted laudation. collectors, are no more to be compared to good Greek gerus than the decorative at of the French Empire is to be comwhich it was derived. Exceptional cirpared to that of Rome and Egypt from of Fine Arts—put them into an appro- have taken the trouble to drive his pigs

respective countries for a brief visit-in order to see their wives or to offer up a administered by a customs official. But henceforth they have only to carry out The simple formalities include the production of a certificate of character, signed by two well-known citizens, and presentations to the Customs Departreform in procedure in the House of ticulars of nationality, age, height, build, Commons that the British Prime birthplace, complexion, hair, and eyes. Minister shows himself in the most together with photographs and impressions of their hands. A Chinaman who recollection of those of our readers department will have his work cut out who have kept themselves in touch for him under the new regulations. with British politics that during the But what will happen to the unfortunate last few sessions of the last Parliament who loses his pigtail and one eye in a scuffle in Shanghai, or who loses a couple of stone in weight through missing his customary three meals a day, or whose complexion turns from yellow to green under the influence of sea-sickness displaying such touching solicitude for Should he include in a new set of false teeth while absent from the Commongood order and expedition in the with a Boxer in his native habitat, he are published in the current issue of the will assuredly be denied re-admission on ced a campaign of frank obstruction his return, and will moreover be liable Scotch Whiskies ... 16.00 the rules of procedure had been to imprisonment before being forcibly deported at the instance of the Departdeemed amply sufficient for the purment of External Affairs. The generosity of the Government in framing As a fact the stonewalling tactics of these new regulations will hardly appear the Liberals did actually lead to a to the deplorable alien. And when he revision of the rules. If revision had returns with his facial expression altered not taken place no legislative, business by a collision with a brick or an empty bottle he will probably pine in min for

the dictation test, which the amended

bell-Bannerman. On the principle necessary evidence of identification before he starts on his travels. But evidently Pitt's maxim that, in matters, of public policy, the end justifies the through which he can enter the Commonwealth under the new regime.

> The Standard in a recent issue moralised delightfully on the question does a ting which made up most of the dialogue in a musical burlesque or a screaming farce. And you may still find, in the corners of a club smok- lecture will be open to the public. ing-room, genial old gentlemen who cular style of humour, and cannot invent a new one. The best rule for this kind fessional, is to work the public up to his of the local churches and missions. joke, and go on making it until they that time comes he may settle down an old fogey, and lament the decay of take that self seriously. If he begins to reflect on the vanity of human wishes, and the impotence of an individual perparents and pushing wives regarded them as failures. Xantippe, perhaps, gave to Socrates—an idle, good-for- life. When last in America he stopped a nothing man, who liked to sit in the sun

to say anxiety to turn his back upon printe Botany Bay; show them for the to market. Look at Prince Hamlet the meals that are served are done in the and humility to experts and as a warning to formed a very inadequate conception of untutored enthusiasts. -the duties of the Heir to a Throne. If he had consented to lay the foundation Undesirable aliens in the Commonstone of a new High school for the young wealth who desire to return to their ladies of Elsinore, he could hardly have things or to abstain from inappropriate they had denounced the awful evils of into Australia. "Incilitated" by the celot Gobbo, again, a good servant in new regulations under the act. his way, could scarcely expect to obtain Hitherto, says the World's News, they promotion in a gentleman's household. have been faced by the dictation test, Byen if he would have parted with his dog Crab, he would have made but an has taken part. These souvenirs, several indifferent unjordomo in a Venetian thousand in number, are preserved in the palazzo. And as for the melancholy Jacques, though he possessed a rich cannot think that he would have succeeded as a company promoter in one ment of four photographs, two showing of the flourishing industrial centres the applicant full-face, and two in pro- which have sprung up on the site of the file. In addition, they must supply par- Forest of Arden. LOCAL AND COAST NEWS.

The German Mail of the 14th Feb. was delivered in London on the 16th

The timber jetty at Arsenal Street has ben thrown open to the public, and is named " Arsenal Street Wharf."

of the Blatz Milwaukee Beer send us well got-up pamphlets advertising this well- vessel.

Rules and regulations regarding the arrival of vessels carrying dangerous goods PROMINENT business man who has

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that aid nature. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy acts on this plan. Take it when you have a cold and it will allay the cough, relieve the lungs, aid expectoration, open the secretions and aid nature in restoring the hystem to a healthy condition. Sold the minority led by Sir Henry Camp; take him at least a month to prepare the all chemists and storescopers.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Lord Minto, the new Viceroy of India, s a fine shot.

The Princess Royal handles a fencing foll with considerable skill.

Count Tolstol re-copies his stories three or four times before they are finally sent to the prees.

Princess Charles of Denmark never wore a ring until the token of betrothal was placed upon her finger.

Clarks has been added to the local list of authorised architects.

The King of Sweden, who has manifested so much distress on account of the divorce between his country and Norway, is the tallest monarch Europe has ever known.

"Radium" will be the subject on which Mr. F. Browne will lecture at the Y. M. C. A. to-night at 9 o'clock. The

Dr. G. E. Morrison, the well-known correspondent of The Times, is at present in the city, and, we understand, is the guest of Sir Matthew Nathan at Govern-

The meeting of the Hongkong Christian Union to be held at the European Y. M. C. A. rooms on Monday next at of entertainer, whether amateur or pro- 5. 30 p.m. will be conducted by the ladies

The Duke of Norfolk has quite a liking will not stand it and longer. When for barrel-organs. His friends say that he can rarely pass one of these musical machines in the street without standing to listen, and handing a bit of silver to the

> His Excellency Eugen Ritter von Kuczynski, Austrian Amhassador appointed to Peking, was a passenger by the N.D.L. steamer "Prinz Regent Luitpold," for the North. He was accompanied by his wife and a retinue of servants.

Mr W. T. Stead, in comparing the boys other human beings, he becomes a com- disposed to be strenuous as the youth of easily, and of endeavouring to get through the day with the minimum of exertion, is much more cultivated here than it is in the

No living povelist has more varied information than Mr Rudyard Kipling, but he has discovered that it is not always had some reason for the scoldings she practically useful in the everyday walks of

Chinaman and addressed him in Chinese. The Celestial looked at him stoically for a

Viscount Haysahi, the Japanese Minister with them is that of the Boston Museum political philosophy-if he would only his habits and tastes. At the legation there are very few Japanese servants, whilst, with one exception in each week, all again. We cannot help feeling that he English style. The exception is a Japanese night when everything that is placed upon the table is Japanese, and the native tongue of Japan is de riqueur.

Lord Brampton, while Sir Henry Hawkins, had before him on one occasion a prisoner who pleaded guilty of larceny, been trusted either to say the right and then withdraw the ples, and declared imself to be innocent. The case was tried, and the jury acquitted him. Then and painfully indelicate remarks. Lan- sail Sir Henry; "Prisoner, a little while ago you said you were a thief. Now the jury say you are a liar. Consequently, you are discharged."

King Edward carefully preserves programmes of the proceedings in which he library of Buckingham Palace. In the same way the King has kept all his theatre programmes since his earliest playgoing imagination and fine flow of words, we days. The bill of the play placed in the Royal box used to be printed on silk cr satin, with a heavy fringe. It is now, as arule, of a less elaborate nature, but not for that reason any the less artistic.

Mr Forbes-Robertson, who is at present appearing at the Scala Theatre, is the son of an art critic, and spent his boyhood among artistic surroundings. At his father's house he met not only celebrated painters, but other famous men, including Browning and Swinburne, the poets, and Sir Richard Burton, the great traveller and writer. In the nursery, a large, long room, he used to take part in dramatic performances at which as many as 150 spectators were sometimes present.

We understand Mr J. W. Jamieson Messrs Price and Co., the local agents has gone to the wreck of the "Decima" to survey it with a view to refloating the

Accident at Quarry Bay.

A landship occurred at the Quarry Bay dockyard this morning. A number of Chinese were buried, but some were extricated. It is expected that the deaths will be at least two or three.

Ships that Pass in the Night. On her voyage up from Singapore the

s. "Keemun" sighted on March 11, a a.m., in lat. 2.50 N. and long. 104 de-55 min. E., a four-masted barque pained light colour and steering south was She was burning at the bow and the sten bright lights, turning to red.

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the river steamers and these I think, are

not unwilling to accept cents when given as

an acknowledgement of their services.

THE COLLIERY DISASTER

PRACTICAL GERMAN SYMPATHY.

Anarchists and Strikers.

(Exclusive Service, Supplied by Reuter, via Bombay).

LONDON, March 16.

-A German Colliery Syndicate has subscribed £5,000 to the relief fund for the assistance of the people rendered destitute by the colliery disaster at Courrieres.

Anarchists have been inciting the of cavalry.

PRINCESS ENA'S MARRIAGE.

NO GRANT FROM ENGLAND.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuter, via Boinbayl.

LONDON, March 16.

be no grant from the British Government to Princess Ena on the occasion of her marriage with the King of Spain.

[BEUTER'S BERVICE.]

Rupture Imminent. LONDON, March 15.

The sittings of the conference at Algeciras " are suspended, and a rupture is imminent; it is expected that the Government will now negotiate direct."

THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

The Old Age Pensions.

LONDON, March 15.

The House of Commons has adopted a resolution in favour of old age pensions. Mr Asquith ha accepted the principle and defends the reduction of expenditure.

FIGHTING IN THE PHILIP. PINES.

London, March 15. The Washington Senate has passed a resolution asking for full details of the killing of women and children at the recent |

CHINESE IN THE TRANSVAAL.

An End to Exportation.

LONDON, March 15. Mr Winston Churchill has demonstrated his intention of putting an end to the exportation of Chinese to the Transvall when the standing licenses, are completed, firstly by instructing the consuls in China to cease their co-operation, and secondly by vetoing any proposals submitted by a Transvaal responsible government which the Imperial government considered deregatory to the fundamental principles of liberty and decency; he urged the mineowners to cease wringing their hands and to turn their energy to the discovery of

substitute for the Chinese. Mr Balfour and Mr Chamberlain concurred in warning the Government against entering on the dangerous policy of interfering with the vital affairs of a self-governing colony.

WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued by Mr Figg of the Houghong Observatory :-

On the 17th at 12. 5p. The barometer has risen over Japan, and fallen over China, particularly in the North. A depression, which is probably moving Eastwards, has appeared over Manchuria, and the highest pressure is now found over the Pacific in the neighbourhood of the

Loochoos.

Gradients are gentle over S. China, and moderate variable winds may be expected in the Formosa Channel and moderate E winds over the N. part of the China Sea. Forecast :- moderate E winds; cloudy, misty.

TF you are weak, tired, nervous or rundown, the best thing you can take to recuperate your debilitated system is Stearns' Wine of Cod Liver Oil. No other cod liver oil preparation gives as good results and none is nicer to take.

RHEUMATISM CAN BE CURED. THERE is no disease which inflicts more torture than rheumstiam and there is probably no disease for which such a varied and uscless lot of remedies have been suggested. To say that it can be cured is therefore a bold statement to make but Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which enjoys an extensive sale in this country, has met with success in the breatment of this disease wherever it has been tried. One or two applications of this linkment will relieve the pain and hundreds of sufferers from this Hongkong Gymkhana Chub on Saturday, diseas to day by remaining ourse by its use, the 76

MUTINY ON THE HIGH SEAS. Attempted Murder of an Officer.

The tricks resorted to by Chinese boarding house keepers whose business it is to can better be imagined than described.

the Exchequer) has stated that there will was carrying and inflicted a deep scalp poem were used by those ancient story- often appear in a feminine form of rare atwound. Three other men then rushed tellers; and further, when the poem, as it tractiveness, in order to accomplish their upon him, one of whom was armed with a stands to day, was committed to writing, evil machinations on the objects of their third used his teeth, biting the European on the people. in the side. Three of his teeth were also knocked out.

several other wounds besides those men- the twelth and following canturies. At and they must renew their quest. THE MOROCCO CONFERENCE, tioned, and indeed seemed to be first, it is true, the troubadours were men is impossible to describe the througe in great danger of being murdered when of education, and knightly instincts, who foxes, fairies, under-world lictors, and one of the other officers saw the cultivated their art, not so much for a living, ghosts which appeared and mingled among disturbance and rushed to his rescue. The las for pastime, who in the poetry which heroes, priests and emperors in the ages of Chinaman, who was carrying the chopper, they recited, and the music which they long ago. But they are more than sufficient immediately simed a blow at the latter's played, belauded the subjects of romantic to meet the needs of the narrator, and to

After this the men were got under control but performed their duties very reluctantly. On arrival at Calcutta the four men wh had participated in the assault were charged with having attempted to murder the third engineer and were each convicted sentenced to six months' gaol with hard labour. A crew of Lascar stokers were shipped to bring the vessel back to Hongkong and everything went well on the return voyage, the steamer arriving in port restorday.

GYMKHANA CLUB. Forthcoming Meeting.

the present season is to be held on Saturis as follows :-

of any Season. Weight for inches as per scale. Winners of an open race barred. Winners of an official race to carry 7 lb. extra; of two or more official races 10 lb. extra. "Off-day" starters allowed 5 lb. Non-winning jockeys allowed 5 lb. Entrance fee 85. 825! (Entrance fees to go to

-4,30 p.m. -TENT PEGGING. -Best

winner.)

three runs. Points for pace and style. Entrance fee \$3. 1st Prize: presented. 2nd Prize: 825. .- 5 p.m. - GYMEHANA OLUB CHALLENGE Cur.-Distance one mile.-Value to be declared when cup is purchased. For all Catch weigh a at 10st. 6 griffin race 5lb. extra. Non-winning subscription griffins allowed 5lb. Nonobtaining the second highest number of

-5.30. p.m.-MARKET RACE. LADIES NOMINATION .- Competitors start disscaled order and basket, which he will take to his nominatrix and dismount. The latter will fill the basket with vogepublic house will call in the services of the tables as per list, and make out a bill according to the prices on the order; the fiddler, to attract customers to his bar. first rider to return to the judges with a

ed by the Olub. , 6 p.m. -Hundle RACE. -For China reject with scorn and even anger the title, ponies. Distance about one mile and a ed; 2nd Prize: \$25. (Entrance fees ever, that he is little other than a pro-

3.—6.30 p.m.—ONE MILE AND A QUARTER FLAT RACE. HANDICAP.-For all China fee to go to winner.) Entries close to the Hon. Secretary

SKETCHES OF CHINESE LIFE. The Story-Teller.

Though these men are supposed to preach, It is well known that the Chinese are and do preach Confucian ethics, and are supply firemen to steamers running out of fond of theatrical performances. Audi- paid to uphold the so-called five rela- ches commenced a few days ago, and some the harbour were recently exposed at the ences will remain for hours without any tionships, which bind together the social of the churches have been the econes of Police Court, in connection with an action eigns of special weariness to watch rioisy system in China, the subject matter of disgraceful sacrilege committed by persons brought by the agents of the "Sui Sang." actors, who, assisted by crude scenery, and their discourses is, for the most part a reci- who call and profess themselves catholics. It was then stated that it was a frequent supported by deafening music, will work tal of the deed of ancient kings, scholars, These fanatics, worked up to boiling point occurrence for these people to get men well through some long historical play. The ministers and heroes. Indeed when one by certain politicians, have done no good, up in their business to sign on before the desire for amusement and excitement of a sits and listens to a long discourse, it is but have done an immonse amount of harm Shipping Master, but that these mon marely harmless nature, is further gratified, by often evident enough that the piquancy of The cause of religion, humanly speaking, went to sen, being probably already employ- professional story-tellers, who, in the most the attraction, which captivates has been put back fifty years by the shameed in launches on the harbour, but instead vivid and collequial language, will recount the audience, who would not alt five ful proceedings of those who say they are sold their jobs to other men who were the deeds of their Chinese heroes, both minutes to listen to the dry morality of the friends of the Church. anxious to make a trip. Many of these men and gods. In the West to-day there Confucius or the clever psychology of It is a remarkable fact that in all the men have never beeen to see before, and in no corresponding class of men, but bye- Mencius. Yet a great crowd of coolies will Churches where real good work is being the troubles of an engineer who finds him- gone ages can furnish us with examples, sit on most uncomfortable benches, for half done amongst the poor, or where the Clergy self at sea with a crow of this decription who, though probably more refined and an afternoon, and listen without a move- are of the Gallieans School of thought, the better educated, spent their time in the ment, except an occasional laugh at a joke, Inventories passed off without the slightest of doing such an act, that he happened to This was the plight that the Chief En- same way, and amused their audiences in or a humourous contretemps, which the inconvenience. gineer of the "Sui Sang" found himself in a like manner. In the ancient world of preacher learns to create and present with when the vessel left the harbour on her classical Greece, the rhapsodists were considerable skill. In this way, at any last run to Calcutta, after having been essentially story-tellers, though they threw rate, something of a national spirit. Churches, but requires that an inventory with the erganized demonstration. The delayed for two or three days by into their work perhaps an abandon which is created and fostered and some knowledge may be made to prevent misappropriation, strikers at Courrieres and the authorities, the firemen not turning up. The does not characterize their Uhinese success of Chinese ancient history is imparted. becoming uneasy, summoned a regiment men shipped knew absolutely nothing sors. The stories of the Hind, which The strange conglomeration of ideas that that may be formed. about their business and as some of to-day form a connected whole, were re- and a home in the brain of the average them declared that they had been put peated by these ancient rhapsodists, and Chinese, as well as the medley of persons on board by the boarding house keepers | the doughty deeds of their daring heroes, human, divine and demoniacal, that people against their will, were not very willing to no doubt moved the hearers to a high his unseen world, made it peculiarly easy learn. They were, however, quite-ready state of excitement, and evoked rounds of for the story-teller to win the credulity not to stir up trouble, and when the ship had applause. Everybody knows that the to speak of the gullibility of his audiences, been for three days at sea matters came to German scholar Wolf maintained that the and as ninety men out of every hundred Iliad was never conceived by one mind, and live, even yet, in complete ignorance The third engineer on going down to was never penned by one hand. The main of the laws that govern the world the engine room to his surprise found that Incidents of that immortal poem, formed in which they live, there is no difficulty in none of the men were at their posts. He the stock-in-trade of these ancient inducing the masses to give complete went forward to see what was the reason rhapsodists, till in time they were welded cradence to any story, however grotseque, for this and there found the head greaser together into the Hiad, which is the bane provided that it is averred that it happened and the rest of the men. They were of modern school boys, and the delight of long enough ago. The faith of the people ordered to return to work, but instead of modern scholars. Whatever truth there may in the transmigration souls slends itself doing so one of them struck at the engi- be in this criticism, it is known that the easily to all kinds of me , mphychesis. Thus neer's head with an iron spanner that he incidents which form the backbone of the for example foxes of vindictive intentions

> chopper, the other with an axe, and the these rhapsedists lost much of their hold hatred. Princes seek the clixir of immortality through the most romantic and thrill-Other prototypes of the modern Chinese ing surroundings, and just as they are about story-tellers were the troubsdours of Pro- to lay their hands on the long sought and He was very roughly handled and received, vence, in the south of France, during coveted treasure, it eludes their grasp head, only missing him by a fraction of an gallantry, and created in their hearers a delight the audience. love for joust and tournament; they made | Besides the unwritten traditions which The officer retreated to his cabin and their audiences familiar with the life are the common property of more or less coming back with his rifle, which he used lived in the mediaeval castles, the beauty educated Chinese, there are two other the Chinese and by this time others of the of imprisoned princesses, and the courage sources, which supply the demands ship's officers had come on the scene and the of, noble knights. In course of time, of the professional story-tellers. The man who had wounded the third engineer on however, what was at first nothing more Sam Kwek Chi, or Romance of the the head was secured, and placed in irons. then the monoply-of-the rich and cultured, Three Kingdoms, furnishes him with all was learnt by the lower classes; what was kinds of stirring incidents drawn from the begun as a pastime and as an amusement national life of the fighting warriors and among the wealthy and educated, was seized intriguing statesmen of the Han dynasty. on by the poor, and comparatively ignorant, Un the other hand the Liu Chai of Piu as a means of carning a livelihood, and Sung Ling, which I have already referred amusing their audiences at one and the to in these sketches, furnishes an inexhaussame time. Towards the and of the thir. teenth century, the art was altogether impossible romances, in which men and

confined to minstrels of the lower classes, women move through the Ten Halls of the The story-teller of China is; as a rule, Buddhistic Hades, and the spirits of the Under-world engage in the usual worldly quite an uneducated man, as the Chinese pursuits and ambitions, which would understand education. It is certain that impossible, were it not for the underlying not one in a hundred could write an essay belief in the doctrine of transmigration of after the approved style, and probably sould. It will be seen therefore that the The Gymkhana Club's first meeting for many of them cannot write at all. professional story-teller, has a repertoire course it is necessary that they should be well supply, with excollent material, and so day, April 14. The programme, kindly able to read, though it is well known that he needs little more than a fluent tongue, a forwarded by Mr C. G. Mackie, Hon. Sec. among the musicians, whose duty it is to graphic style, and a calm assurance in order sing at the theatricals, there are those who to captivate his audience and earn a some-1.-4 p.m.-THREE-QUARTER MILE FLAT learn their parts by rote when children; RACE. For Hongkong Subscription by hearing their teachers repeat them until the words become quite familiar to the learner. Nor, as far as I can learn, is there any class of men who are trained for this profession. It is probable, that a man winners to carry 3 lb. extra. Unplaced gradually grows into the conviction that he is able to earn both a living and applause. by this line of action, and is able to satisfy A Cup, presented, 2nd both the cravings of hunger and vanity, at same time. ('ccasionally, in Hongkong, I have been asked why a large crowd has

A fearfully over-crowded Russian transport, the Danish Steamer "Tudien," homeward bound, arrived in the port on gathered and stands spell-bound around March 1, says the Times of Ceylon, and was some central figure. A glance at the placed at anchorage next to the three audience and a moment's attention to the British croisers which are in the harbour. matter have enabled me to snawer that, a Her decks are a perfect sight, soldiers being professional story-teller is amusing the as thick as files on every part of the ship, people and seeking a living. A favourable spot is Wanchai, near the naval hospital, even on the rigging. The regiments are and throughout the long summer evenings, some of those which took part in the It is rare indeed to see that open space fiere at battles in the recent war. Many of the men show evidence of severe injuries, vacant. In large cities like Canton wherever there is a favourable spot, story-tellers and seem to be very badly clothed. It is benefit of marks already scored to pass especially during the cool of the evening. Ashore. There are 1,630 troops, 57 officers, kept howling out at the police and shaking General Ito, Aide-de-Camp to the Emperor. may be found at their self-imposed task, not supposed that they will be allowed and three sisters belonging to the Red with the pony on a sale. Any winner of and, in all cases, audiences are large and Cross Society, on board the "Tudien "... the race to carry 5lb. extra for each win attentive. At the close of a recital, the the event of a pony carrying the penalty listeners are invited to throw down their not winning, 2lb. to be deducted next cash at the feet of the story teller, in time he starts. Penalties accumulative appreciation of the entertainment to which

up to 15lb. Entrance fee of \$5 to go in they have listened, and it must be admitted that Gen. Booth, has had a large sum of money placed at his disposal by a we the purchase of a memento to the winner that the appeal is seldem made in vain. of the Club funds. At the conclusion of In the Contral Provinces of China, perhaps, known Scotch-Canadian who has given the the season a cap, value 2100, will be more extensively than in the South, story-Scotch colony to Canada. presented to the Owner of the pony tellers of recognised activity are hired by the proprietors of the houses by their recital will attract customers and so swell the takings. The manager no doubt finds that be obtained from all dispensaries mounted. The rider will be given at it pays, and that he can more than re- (quickly by post). Gives instant relief. cuperate himself for the outlay incurred, Avoid imitations much as in the West the proprietor of a

THE intensity of confined sound is well Modern developments in China have demonstrated at Carlabrooke Castle, Isle trance too 83. 1st and 2nd Prizes present. brought into the arena of history a new of Wight, where there is a well 200 feet type of story-telier, "It is true, he would it the sound of it striking the surface of the water, 182 feet below, can be distinctly for he poses as a Confucian teacher of educatrance fee 25. 1st Prize: A cup, present. tion and position. The fact remains, how. heard. WHOOPING COUGH. lessional story-toller, though he does not ask his audiences to pay for his services, FIHE quick relief afforded by Chamber-

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THE RIOTS IN PARIS. Account by our Correspondent.

Paris, Feb. 9.

The "Inventories" of the Paris Chur-

Let it be remembered that the State continues the loan of the articles in the and to protect the new Church Councils' At the Madelaine and Saint Roche's,

when the Inspector of Registration arrived at the Churches, he found them full of old women and young girls, and a group of violent Royalists and noisy lade. As soon as he entered he was surrounded by a crowd of angry distortedfaced women who literally tore his clothing to shreds, and the males struck at him with leaden-headed sticks. The few policemen who tried to rescue him from these virages

and Solopres were treated in like manher.

They struggled and fought their way to the gates only to find the doors closed and locked. When the Inspector called upon the Care to open the doors, the brother of the the Vicar-General of Paris, a notorious Anti-Semite, cried out from the Pulpit. "No: you came into the Church without asking our permission, now leave it if you can, and re-commenced to influence the aiready half maddened zealets. The Inspector and the few pollocmen managed to escape by a little door, but found themselves in a dark harrow corridor, only used by the priests when they leave the church privately, and were immediately followed by a howling, shricking mob of males, old and young, who struck at them with sticks and pieces

The attacks on the Inspector and Police at Saint Roches was not quite so bad as that of the Madelsine, but, still, was very

The leader of the attack at Saint Roche is said to be the Abbe Cave, one of assistant priests. He is charged with attacking an officer of the peace and

exciting to sedition. I have received a letter from the Abbé, contained the names of the Patriachs of the Cays, who called at the Paris Office of the Society and other information necessary CHINA MAIL. He writes: "In secom- for members. There were also the designs plishing my duty, that is to eay, in en- of different flags the meaning of which deavouring to re-establishicalm and to hinder was explained. A red flag was used in our exasperated Catholics from interfering time of rebellion, being hong out underwith the police, an Officer of Peace grossly neath the member's window. In China insulted me and brutally struck me in the a flag or red lantern was used. Anface. But what is more stranger now in that, other book contained the ritual of the from being Complainant the Tribunal speks Society and gave an account of the to change me into a Defendant. The invasion of Sai Lo, when it was formed. Officer of Peace pretends that I struck him This place was near Formosa and there the and excited the faithful to strike the Government troops were defeated and agents! Happily some witnesses will re- monastry burnt down. Five of the monks establish the truth. If their testimony is not changed over to the rebels and afterwards received and I am sent to prison or fined, became patriachs of the Society. Another (we can expect anything new in France, book contained various charm words by alas!) I shall have the honour to suffer for simply repeating which the owner could the truth and for charity."

It is only right to add that many of the Paris papers assert that the Abbe Cave did strike M. Murail the Officer of Peace, and incited the already excited people in the Church to attack the Police. I give you the two versions.

The shameful proceedings of yesterday were as nothing in comparison of what has occurred at St Pierce-dusGros-Caillou and Sainte Clotilde.

There was a regular organized riot at Saint Clotilde, which is one of the Royalist centres. The Church was crowded with women and half grown lads armed with sticks and bars of iron. The doors of the Church inside were barricaded four reported. On the let inst., says the Scoul feet high by chairs and confessional Press Weekly, the Marquis attended a reboxes, and the women shricking like ception given in his honour by the Japanese maniacs, at d the lads cursing and using residents of Fusan, and left by a special foul names to the police who were outside train on the morning of the 2nd inst. The the church keeping order amongst the new Resident-General was warmly welcrowds of roughs and other sightseers. comed both by Koreans and Japanese at

There is an open space between the the various stations on the route to the Church and street shut in by rails where a copital. couple of hundred young men and boys The Marquis and his suite, including had provided them with. M. Lepine, the Resident-General, Major-General Murato, Prefect of Police, came with a few Inspec- Captain Myaoka, Private Secretary Foruya, tors, and claimed peaceful entrance for the Baron Takashi and Messra Koyama, Registrar to do his duty. Even the Prefect Zumoto, Uchida, Yano, and Saito, arrived was grossly insulted and struck at by some at the South Gate, Seoul at 4.10 p.m. on rowdy overgrown school toys. The prefect the 2nd. The Marquis was there weland his assistants were refused admittance. | comed by Mr Kim-Kop-Hei, the imperial and spiked iron was placed round the Messenger from the Korean Emperor, the rails. Acting on the prefect's instructions a Korean Cabinet Ministers, General Hasecouple of companies of Firemen come to the gawe, Mr Tsuruhara, many Japanese and rescue, and, using their water-hose well, drenched the rioters and howed down the Press representatives, the representatives STEARNS HEADACHE CURE, can the obstructions, and the Registrar was of the Red Cross Society and Women's thus able to enter. Before this several Association, and many of the leading men Keep the Genuine fervid speeches were made to the mob in favour of the Royalists, The toscin was sounded, and all the tricks that had been used in France successfully to bring about at the South Gate Station, the Korean Imdeep and 12 feet in diameter, lined with sudden Revolutions were tried. But it is fifty years too late. Parisians know a little too saluted him. The Marquis, looking well

much. So the dodgo fell flat. The Duke and active in his uniform, stepped on to of Chatres, who is the favourite candidate the platform and courteously replied to the of the extreme Royalist and Jesuit party, welcome him. had driven up in a beautiful landau drawn Outside the station the streets were by two superb Arabian horses, and with thronged with people anxiously awaiting his some of his friends awaited events. He had arrival but perfect order prevailed. A body to return a wiser man. Perhaps he may the South Gate Station acted as a guard of

The next day at St Pierre du Gros- the capital by the South Gate, which Callion there was a repetition of the pre- was profusely decorated with flage and

vious day's events, M. Edmund Drumont, lanterns, in the midet being a large tablet, the Jewbeiter, made one of his usual on which was it soribed, in Chinese characspeeches about the Government being "Assasins" and "Bandits," and that they appearance, everywhere flags of the Korean. were doing all they would to ruin France at and Japanese nations being displayed. the command of the Jews, and other like After passing down Furniture Street the

thence passing on through Chin-Ko-Kai to Like the Irishman the French gamin the former Jajanese Legation, where for dearly loves a shindy, that is when the the present the new Resident-General will gamin has a knife or stick, and the others reside. have them not. A large number of arrests have been WOUNDS, BRUISES AND BURNS.

sentenced to various terms of imprisonment | D wounds, bruises and like injuries befrom six days to six months for wounding fore inflammation sets in, they may be or striking policemen. Amongst them are some Royalists, bearing historical names. The Count de la Rochefoucauld struck a policeman with his stick. Several wit nessen testified against him and the stick broken at the top and with blood on it was produced but the Count swore on his honour he did not strike the police believes that the Count was not authenticin his statement, and it is general. Boulevards when one tells a fib-a transparent fib-it is followed up by, "on my word of honour a la Rochefoucauld." The Count got two months imprisonment without the benefit of the first offenders set. I have written somewhat fully as the French Press and politicians say that the

events of the past few days have been the most important since the Great Revolution. I must add that the Cure of Saint Clotilds sent in his resignation of the Parish to the Archbishop of Paris owing to the Sacrifegious behaviour of his Catholic parishioners in the Church, which they almost wrecked, and for their attacks on the police, despite his entreaties to them to respect God's House. The Archbishop would not accept the resignation, but the Cure will excommunicate the offendors. This shows that so called defence of the Church is really an organized riot by certain politicians of, the

extreme Clerical party. Junie de Vienne, the Vicomte d' Hay court and M. Lecomte were charged wit mounting a barricade at St. Clotilde's Church, and throwing iron, and blowing pepper in the eyes of the police to blind them. They were sentenced to six months imprisonment. M. Harcourt is nephew of Count de Mun.

THE TRIAD SOCIETY Expert Evidence.

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to the Triad Society, said that one of the

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for members of the society. The book also

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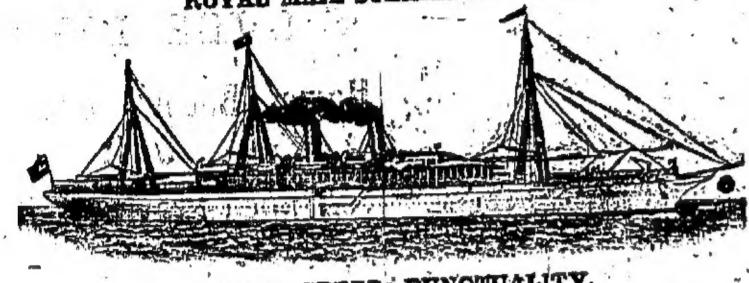
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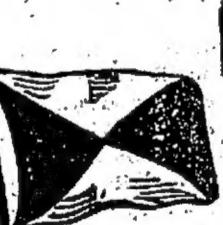
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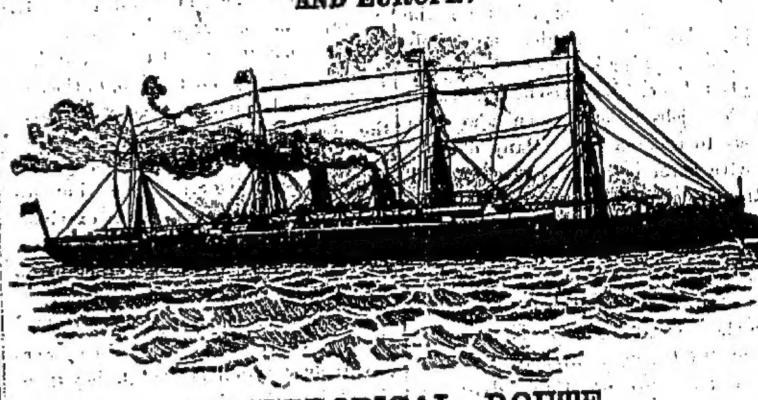
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Captain J. S. ROACE, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 20th Inst., at 11 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to at A

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Captain Couner, will be despatched for MARSEILLES on TUESDAY, the 20th March, 1906, at 1 P.M. Passage Tickets and through Bills Lading issued for above ports.

Cargo also booked for principal places in Next Bailings will be as follows S.S. TONEINApril ARMAND BEHIO April ERNEST SIMONS..... May POLYNESIENMay S.S. CALEDONIENMay

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, March 6, 1906.



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LONDON Through Bills of Lading usued for BATA. VIA, PERSIAN GULF, CON-TINENTAL AMERICAN AND SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS.

C. L. DANIEL, carrying His Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for BOMBAY, on SATURDAY, the 24th March, at Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above Ports in connection with the Company's s.s. Moclian, 9,820 tons, from Colombo, Passangers' so commodation in which vessel is secure

before departure from Hongkong. Silk and Valuables, ali Cargo for France, and Tes for London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into the mail steamer proceeding direct to Marsellies and London; other cargo for London, do:, will be conveyed from Bombay by the R.M.S.

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Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 p.m. the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are

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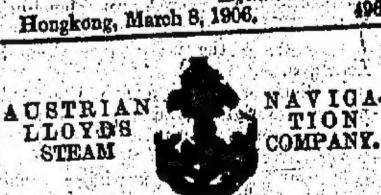
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18th March, 1906. S.S. LIBERIA, FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG, Capt. Kier, CALLING AT SINGAPORE, PENANG AND COLOMBO. Freight. 21st March, 1906. S.S. SAXONIA, FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG, Capt. SACHS,

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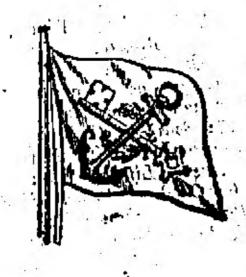
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TAXING CARGO ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR ALL EUROPEAN, NORTH AND SOUTH PROPOSET SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG-SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

SAILING DATES. 1906. WEDNESDAY, 28th March. WEDNESDAY, 11th April. BAYERN ... PRINZ REGENT LUITPOLD ... 25th April. WEDNESDAY. PRINZ EITEL FRIEDRICH ... 9th May. WEDNESDAY, WEDNESDAY, 23rd . May. SACHSEN WEDNESDAY, 6th June. PRINZ HEINRICH 20th June. WEDNESDAY, 4th July. WEDNESDAY, WEDNESDAY. 18th July ZIETEN · ...

ON WEDNESDAY, the 28th day of March, BAYERN, Captain Tormes, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port as above, Calling at Naples and Caroa. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, on Monday, the 26th March, Cargo and Specie will be received on Board until 5 p.m. on Tuesday, the 27th March. and Parcels will be received at the Agency's Office until Noon, on Tuesday, the 27th

Contents of Packages are required. No Parcel Peccipts will be signed for less than SALE OF VALUABLE LEASEHOLD \$2.50, and Percola should not exceed Two Cubic Free in Measurement. The Steamer has splendid accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardesses. Linen can be washed on board,

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be applied as via Naples, Genoa or Gibraltar, but in this case the cost of the railway trip, etc., to be at passenger's expense. TOUR Via INDIA: Passengers have the option of using a Steamer of the British India S. N. Co.

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STEAM FOR MANILA, SIMPSONHAFEN, FRIEDRICH-WILHELMSHAFEN, BRISBANE, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKUNG (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION). SAILING DATES.

PRINZ WALDEMAR 3227 tons TUESDAY, 8rd April, IN TUESDAY, the 3rd day of April, at Noon, the STEAMSHIP PRINZ WALDEMAR, Capt. WALTEMAS, with Mails, Passengers, and Cargo, will leave this port as above.

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£30 — £20.-. £14.- return £54.-TO NEW GUINEA..... £33,- £28,- £15.- feluta £59,10 TO BRISBANE £18.— return £82.5 To SYDNEY..... \$ 80.00 \$ 00.00 \$ 40.00 return \$170.00 \$ 20. To KOBE \$ 95.00 \$ 70.00 \$ 50.00 return \$170.00 \$120. To YOKOHAMA & back from

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Auctions. IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE PUBLIC AUCTION. NURDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, THE Undersigned have received instrue tions to Sell by Public Auction, FOR MANILA, SIMPSONHAFEN, FOR AUCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED. FRIEDRICH WILHELMSHAFEN, HERBERTSHOEHE, MATUPI, BRIS-SATURDAY BANE, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. the 24th March, 1906, at Noon, at THE Steamship HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARP PRINZ WALDEMAR,

AND G DOWN COMPANY'S Premises Captain C. WOLTHMAS, will leave for the the following, above places on TUESDAY, the 3rd ex s.s. OANFA, & Co. 1,752 Pieces ROUGH the Sale. April, at Noon. This spleadid Steamer is specially fitted LUMBER. for Passengers and is installed through ex s.s. TELEMACHUS, out with Electric Light. W. Y. T. & Co. 2,798 Pleces ROUGH A duly qualified Surgeon and Stewardes For Freight or Passage, apply to NORDDEUTSOHER LLOYD, Talus :-- As usual. HUGHES & HOUGH Filling to a story of Horsett. MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, March 9, 1906.

PUBLIC AUOTION. SALE OF VALUABLE LEASEHOLD

Multions.

PROPERTY. R GEO. P. LAMMERT has received instructions to Sell at his SALES ROOMS, in DUDDELL STREET,

wir workers on, in the MONDAY,

the 19th day of March, 1906, at 3 P.M., the following Valuable Lessehold Properties:-Lot No. 1 .- All that Piece or Parcel of Ground situate lying and being in CAME ROAD, in Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, and intended to be registered in the Land Office, as the Remaining Portion of Section D of Inland Lot No. 522. This Lot is held from the Crown for the residue of the term of 999 years. Area 2014 equare feet or theresbouts. Crown went \$5.93. TOGETHER WITH THE MESSUAGE AND PREMISES THEREON KNOWN

AS No. 66, CAINE ROAD. Lot No. 2 .- All that Plete or Parcel o. Ground altuate lying and being in CAINE ROAD, in Victoria, in the Colony of Hong. kong, and intended to be registered in the Land Office, as Subsection 1 of Section D il Inland Lot No. 522. This Lot is held from the Orown for the Residue of a term, of 999 years. Area 2592 equare feet or thereabouts. Crown rent \$5.75. TOGETHER WITH THE MESSUAGE AND PREMISES THEREON KNOWN

AS No. 68, CAINE ROAD. The above Properties will be sold subject to a sale plan which may be seen at the Offices of Messes Johnson, Stokes and MASTER, the Vendor's Solicitors. For further particulars and conditions of

Mesers JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER, No. 8, Des Voeux Road Central; MB GEO. P. LAMMERT,

Auctioncer. Hongkoug, March 9, 1906.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES. PUBLIC AUCTION.

TAR GEO. P. LAMMERT has received instructions to Sell as his SALES ROOMS, in DUDDELL STREET,

WEDNESDAY the 28th day of MAROH, 1906, at 3 P.M. The following, VALUABLE LEASEROLD PROPERTY :--

LOT ONE. ALL THAT piece or parcel of ground situate lying and being at Kowloon, in the Colony of Hongkong and intended to be registered in the Land Office as KOW-Crown Rent \$28.00. On this Lot stand the shree substantial mesausges or tenements known as Nos. 16. 38 and 40, Reclamation Street, Mong Kok Tsui.

LOT TWU,-ALL THAT piece or parcel of ground 2,137,6 Equare feet or thereabouts. Annual Crown Rent 828.00. On this Lot stand the three substantial measuages or tenements known as Nos. 35, 37 and 39, Reclamation Street, Mong Kok Tsui.

LOT THREE.

ALL THAT piece or parcel of ground situate lying and being at Kowloon, in the Colony of Hongkong, and intended to be Colony of Hongkong, and intended to be registered in the Land Office as KOW. LOON INLAND LOT No. 1098. Area 3,562.6 equare feet or theresbouts. Annua. Crown Rent 248.00. On this Lot stand the five substantial messuages or tenoments known as Nos. 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44, Station Street North, Mong Kok Tsui.

LOT FOUR. ALL THAT piess or parcel of ground situate lying and, being at Kowloon in the Colony of Hongkong and intended to be registered in the Land Office as KOWLOON INLAND LOT No. 1100. Area : 2,850 £36. - as Nos. 62, 64, 66 and 68 Reclamation £41.10 Street, Mong Kok Tsui.

£44. 5 LOT FIVE. ALL THAT piece or parcel of vacant ground situate lying and being at Kowloon in the Colony of Hongkong and intended

to be registered in the Land Office as KOW. LOON INLAND LOT No. 1173, Area 2,125.6 square feet or thereabouts. Annual Crown Rent \$100. This Lot is ripe for immediate development and is sold free from all restrictions as to building, Mong Rok Tsul.

in the Colony of Hongkong and intended to be registered in the Land Office as KOWLOON INLAND LOT No. 1174. Area 7,125.6 square feet or thereabouts. Annual Orown Rent \$100. This Lot is ripe for immediate development and is offered for sale free from all restrictions as to building, Mong Kok Teni. LOT SEVEN -

ground situate lying and being at Kowloon in the Colony of Hongkong and intended to be registered in the Land Office as New York Con Bellourness Sydney, KOWLOON INLAND LOT No. 1175. Area 5,700 Equare feet or thereabouts. Annual Crown Rent \$80.00. This Lot is. ripe for immediate development and is sold free from all restrictions as to building. Mong Kok Tsui.

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Kok Tsui-The Purchaser of each Lot will be enti tled to receive from the Crown a Crown Lesse of the Lot purchased by him such Lease to be for a term of 75 years from the 9th July, 1900, with option of renewal for another term of seventy-five years. All the above Lots are more particularly delineated and described in the Sale Plan theren which may be seen at the Offices of Messrs Johnson, Stokes and Master, the Vendora Solicitors at any time previous to

For further particulars and Condition of Sale, apply to Messis JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER, 8. Des Voeux Road Central. Vendora Solicitora; MR GEO. P. LAMMERT.

604 . Hongkong, March 16, 1906.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES. MESSRS HUGHES & HOUGH have been instructed to Sell by Public

TUESDAY. the 20th day of Maron, 1908, at 12 o'clock Noon, at their Auction Room, No. 8, DES VOUX ROAD CENTRAL

(Corner of Ice House Street). THE VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY registered in the Land Office as SUB-SECTION No. 2 W SECTION A OF INLAND LOT No. 25 And THE REMAINING PORTION or SECTION A OF INLIAND LOT No. 25. This property comprises Nos. 1, 3, 5 and Lower Lascan Row, Victoria, Hong-

Particulars and Conditions of Sale may be had from the Vendor's Bolicitors; Messrs DEACON, LOOKER & DEACON, No. 1, Ber Vootx Road Central; -And also from the AUCTIONEERS. Hongkong, March 6, 19 6.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned have received instructions from the OFFICIAL RECRIVER IN BANKRUPZOY to Sell by Public Auction,

TUESDAY, THURSDAY, SATURDAY) AND TUESDAY. the 20th, 22nd, 24th & 27th March, 1906,

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SUNDAY, MARCH 18TH, 1966. CHURCH SERVICES. St. John's Cathedral.

3RD SUNDAY IN LENT. Holy Communion (7,30 s.m.) Matins (11 a.m.) Responses, Ferial; Venite, Tucker · Pealme, Barnby, Felton; Benedicite, Best in O; Benedictus, Langdon Hymn, 92.

Holy Communion (12 noon). Kyrie, Gadaby in C; Hymn, 314. Evensong (5,45 p.m.)

Responses, Ferial; Paslms, Stainer, Troutbeck : Magnificat, Turle, (2nd evening); Nunc Dimittis, Monk; Hymns, 261, 94, 95; Voluntaries, Largo-Handel, March from "Atha-Worker Mendelsauhn.

N.B .- At evensong the General Confession is to be monotoned throughout, not

St. Peter's Church, Queen's Road West.

3RD SUNDAY IN LENT. Morning l'rayor 11 a.m. Venite, E'vey; To Deum, Lawes, Cooka, Hopkin; Jubilate, Ouseley; Hymns, 7, 196, 594, 227; Kyrie, Griffiths. Holy Communio : (12.15). Evening Prayer 6,30 p.m.

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Wesleyan Methodist Church, Wanchai. Morning: -10.15 a.m.

Soldiers' and Sailors's Home, Arsenal Street Sunday ovening 8 p.m.

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To-day's Advertisements

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TO NIGHT ! TO-NIGHT CAUSEWAY BAY, at 9 p.m. SPECIAL CARS RUNNING. CHANGE OF PROGRAMME. GRAND BIOYCLE POLO MATCH, OR FUOTBALL ON BICYCLES, WATSON TRIO AND MISS ANNIE. AUSTRALIA versus ENGLAND. REDUCTION OF PRICES FOR THE LAST WEEK. TO DAY (SATURDAY), 17th March, GRAND MATINEE, at 3 30 P.M. BOXES (6 Seats)...... \$15.00. BOX SEATS 3.00. CIRCLES 2.00. STALLS (Chairs)..... 1.00. GALLERY, WITH CARPETS ... 50 Conts. GALLERY (Chinese only) 30 Cents. PLANS at the ROBINSON PIANO CO. E. SPAMPANI, Director & Proprietor, Hongkong, March 17, 1908.



RETURN. OF THE

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BY Special Arrangement with GEORGE EDWARDES GEORGE EDWARDES, THE GAISTY THEATRE, LONDON.

TUESDAY, 20th March. The Great Gaiety Theatre London Success, &c.; THE SPRING CHICKEN."

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THURSDAY, 22nd March, The World's Record Breaker, 'THE EARL AND THE GIRL.

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FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

THE Steamship GREGURY APOAR, Captain S. H. BELSON, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 24th inst., at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to D. SASSOON & Co., Lo., Hongkong, March 17, 1906.

To-day's Advertisements

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age, experience and salary required, to Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office. Hongkong, March 17, 1906.

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MENT & AGENCY Co., LD. Hongkong, March 17, 1906.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONOKONG.

IN BANKRUPTOY. Notice of Adjudication and Appointment

of Trustee. No. 5 of 1908.

Re MAE Kwai Cheung, lately trading at No. 4, Cross Street, Victoria aforesaid, under the style of Fu-Yuen and also at No. 34, Stone Nulla Lane, of 'Sui Sang Yuen' as Wine and Spirit Dealer.

THE above-named MAR KWAI CHEUNG was adjudicated Bankrupts on the 9th day of March, 1906, and the Official Receiver, Mr George Herbert Wakenan, was appointed Trustee of the Estate of the

Dated this 16th day of March, 1906. G. H. WAKEMAN. Official Receiver de Trustee.



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All we ask is for Ladies to Call, Inspect and judge for themselves, Hongkong, March 17, 1906.



· PUBLIC AUOTION.

THE Undersigned have received instruc-tions from the REGISTRAR, SUPREMS No Fire Insurance has been effected. COURT, to Sell by Public Auction,

WEDNESDAY, the 21st March, 1906, commencing at 2 30 P.M., at No. 4, SEYMOUR ROAD,-

THE GOODS AND CHATTELS OF CHAU TUNG SANG THE WHOLE OF HIS VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

· Comprising :-MABBLE TOP HATSTAND with GLASS, CUT-GLASS MIRBORS, MORBOCCO COVERED DINING ROOM SUITE, TEAKWOOD OVERMANTELS WITH HOTEL. B GLASS, BOOK-CASES, WHATNOTS, TEARWOOD EXTENSION DINING TABLES, CHEST-OF-DRAWERS, MARBLE-TOP TABLES, THA TABLES, DOUBLE and SINGLE IRON BED-STEADS with WIRE MATTBESSES, &c., &c.,

A Large Quantity of CHINESE BLACK-WOOD FURNITURE.

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Comprising: BUILDERS and IRONKONGERY BRASS WORK of SUPERIOR QUALITY COMPRISING:-BABERL, FLUSH and ESPACNOLETTE BOLTS, BASEMENT SLAYS, CABIN HOOKS, HIGES and Bours, Rein and Morrise Locks, FINGER PLATES and ELECTIC BELL PUSHES, and GALVANIZED IRON WORK COMPRI-SING; BOLTS HINGES and BUTTS, SPECIALLY SELECTED STOVES and TILES and HEARTES THE KOWLOON HOTE 555 and Specially Selected LEADED LIGHTS. Catalogues will be issued.

TRRMS :- As usual, HUGHES & HOUGH, Government Auctioneers. Hongkong, March 17, 1906.

VERREIS AT THE DOOKS - At Kowloon Fatshan, Jonfold, Signal, U.S.S. Barry, U.S., S. Callao, Henoi, S.M.S. Tsingtau, Vigilanto, H.M.S. Hart, Carl Diedericksen. Coimopolitais:-

Hongkong Register.

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On date at on date 10 s.m. | 1 p.m. 30.07 Comperature Humidity Direction of

F. G. Fing, First Assistant. Hongkong Observatory, March 16th, 1906

Notices to Consignees.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALOUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE

THE Steamship Gregory Aspar, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that McBain & Co. their Goods will be delivered from along-

Cargo impeding the discharge will landed at once at Consiguess risk and expense. Cargo remaining on board after 4 P.M., of the 20th inst., 1906, will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowna of the Honorous and Kow-LOON "WHARP AND GODOWN COMPANY,

563 Lunited. Consignees of Cargo from SINGAPORE and PENANG are requested to take IMMEDIATE delivery of their Goods from alongside; such Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the undersigned. DAVID SASSOON, & Co. LD.,

Hongkong, March 16, 1906.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. Victoria aforesaid, under the style ITHE Company's Steamship Kumsang,

L having arrived from the above Ports Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or re-

maining on board after at 4 P.M. the 15th

inst., will be landed at Consignees' risk and No Fire Insurance will be effected Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.

General Managers. Hongkong, March 13, 1906. BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGA

TION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM RANGOON. THE Company's Steamship Sealds L having arrived from the above Ports. Consignees of cargo by her are hereby in-

formed that their goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 4 P.M., WEDNESDAY, the 14th Inst., will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, March, 13, 1906.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM MIDDLESBRO', LONDON

AND STRAITS.

THE Steamship MERIONETHSHIRE, Captain D. Davies, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Honoroug and KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN CO., ITD., at Kowloon and stored at Consignees' risk and expense,

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 21st Inst., will be subject to rent. All Broken, Chafed, and Damaged Goo are to be left in the Godowns, where the

will be examined on the 21st March. Bills of Lading will be countersigned SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, March 15, 1906.

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A HIGH-CLASS PRIVATE

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ARRIVALS. March 16.

Phra Nang, German steamer, 1,021, F. Mangeledorff, Bangkok March 9, Timber. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. March 17.

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Oesterrich, Moji March 12, General.-HAMBURG-AMBERKA LINIE Cairo, Norwegian str., 1,381, J. Lausen, Saigon March 11, Rice. ORDER: Kostroma, Russian transport, 1,989, Smelsky, Vladivostock March 10.

Mulchers & Co. Benegambia, Garman atr., 2,657, B. Peter, Hamburg and Singapore March 11, General. - HAMBURG AMERIKA LINIE. Itola, British steamer, 3,861, F. Alton. Rangoon March 3, and Singapore 10, Gen-

eral.—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Norden, Norwegian str., 1,497, Wilhelmson, Moji March 10, Coal .- ORDER. Deramore, Norwegian ateamer, 1,396, Schervig, Moji March 11, Coal, -ORDER--Kansu, British steamer, 1,142, Speed, Saigon March IS, Rice, BUTTERFIELD &

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Wingsang, British str., from Canton. Victoria, Chinese str., from Canton, DEPARTURES.

March 17. Mongelia, for Shanghai and San Francisco. Rubi, for Manila. Albert Rickmers, for Bangkok. Pronto, for Ohelog. Hongkong, for Haiphong. Lydia, for Shanghai. Haimun, for Swatow, Leemun, for Keelung and Tacoma. Siam, for Canton. Merionethshire, for Nagasaki. Bourbon, for Swatow. Caire, for Vladivostock. Rajah, for Bangkok.

Seminole, for Kobe and San Francisco. OLEARED. Devawonase, for Amoy. Daigi Maru, for Swatow. Kostroma, for Odessa. Hongwan I, for Amoyl Teutonia, for Rangoon and Hamburg. Itola, for Yokohama. Rangu, for Moji.

> PASSENGERS. DEPARTED.

Per Rubi, for Manila, Mesers P. Miller, J. Phillips, G. Renz, J. F. Nelson, Mrs Rommoirez and 4 children. Per Nildko Maru, for Manila and Australia, Mesers F. W. Richardson, M. A. Rodriguez, G. Faulbawn, Dr G. Ishikawa. Mesers W. A. Peairs, J. E. Clarke, G. N. The C. N. Co.'s s.s. Taiyuan, from Lamb, E. Bennett, W. Lawrie, D. S. Chamberlain, Capt. S. Slocum, Mr and Mrs S. J. Holland, Mr and Mrs B. Goldmith Mr and Mrs K. Yegawa, Messrs R. Marni, T. Ito, Captain Steen, Miss Hicks, Mrs H. Shimono, Miss K. Shimono, Messra E.

Cheverlange and K. Misaka. SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Siam reports : Had' ine weather to within 50 miles of port: thence strong N.E. to E.N.E. winds and

China Coast Meteorological, Register. -March 16 -- AT 4 P.M.

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Tonkin, Vandalia, February 9; Needles, Palawan, Senegambia, Bilvertown, Trave, Idomeneus, Machaen, Polynesien. Ulysses, 16; Ajax, Vindobona, Atholl, Coulsdon, Riverton, 20; benga, Kintuck, Roon, Phippoar- Bren telli, Havershangrunge, Kanaton, 23; Cebu Gienroy, Glenturret, Anchises, Bantu, Genos Fourichon, 27; Benvenue, O. Ferd Lacisz, Genos Stentor, Barra, March 2; Flintshire, Haml Indrapura, Aker, Lifong, Prinz Eitel Have Friedrich 6; Oalchas, Ernest Simons, Have Preussen, Pathan, Rhenania, 9; Alesia, Java Trieste, Bikh, Bechuana, Devanha, Indian Java Monarch, Igo Maru, 13; Japan, Moyune, Japa Salazie, Patroclus, Teucer. 16.

ABRIVALS AT HOME. March 16, Hellas, Stentor.

The P. M. S. S. China with the AMERICAN MAIL left Manila on Friday, the Man 16th March, at noon, and may be Marr expected here on or about Sanday, Man the 18th March, at 4 p.m.

The C. P. R. Co.'s s. s. Empress of Jopan | Man arrived at Kobe at 8 p.m. on Tuesday. | Man the 13th March, and left again at noon, Man on Wednesday for Yokohama, where Man she is due to arrive at noon on Thurs day, the 15th March.

Steamers Expected. The French steamer Phuyen left Sourabaya | San on 7th March, for this port, and isdue | San to arrive here on or about the 17th | Sent

March. The P. & A. Co.'s s.s. Nicomedia left S'h Moji on the 13th March, and is S'po expected to arrive in Hongkong on the | Swa 18th March. The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Athenian left Van. | Sha

couver on Monday afternoon, the 5th | Sha March, for Hon kong, via the usual Sing Ports of Call. The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Tartar left Yo- 8'p kohama on Saturday afternoon, the S'po

3rd March, for Victoria and Vancou- 8'h The East Asiatic Co.'s e.s. Norge left S'to Singapore on Monday afternoon, the S'to 12th March, and may be expected S'to here on or about Tuesday, the 20th 3'to March.

The Barber Line s.s. Satsuma sailed from Viol New York for China and Japan on the Vict 26th January The Java China-Liju steamer Tjilatjap left | Van Kuchinotzu, via Amoy and Swatow, Van for this port on the 9th March, and Van may be expected here on or about the 22nd March.

French Contract Packet Oceanien vill be despatched on TUESDAY, the 20th March, with Mails for the United Kingdom, the Continent of Europe, and places beyond, via Marselles; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavis, Burmah, Coylon, Madras, the Australiaian Colonies, Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. Printed Matter and Samples at 10 a.m., Registration at 10 a.m. (Registration with late for of 10 cents,

Registration, Kowloon B.O., 10 a,m. o late fee. Letters at 11 a.m. Late Letters 11 to 11.30 a.m. Extra Postage 10 cents. (Lotters posted in all the Pillar Boxes in time for the first clearance will be inoluded in this contract mail.)

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Vessels Advertised as Loading.

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DESTINATION.	Vessers.	Agents.	DATE OF LEAVING.
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idoli, &c.	Delta (8)	P. & O. S. N. Co	Mar. 24, at Nonu.
don & Salmonn	Runledi (a)	P. & O. S. N. Co dibb, Livingston & Co.	About Mar. 25.
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	Australian (6)	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	
	Loongsang (s)	Jardine, Matheson&Co	Mar. 26. at 4 p.m
w Yorkv.Suez Cana	Shimosa (8)	Dodwall & Co, Limited	About April 5.
	Dakotah (8)	Showin, Tomes & Co.	About April 25.
F'cisco via Japan	Nippon Maru (s)	Pacific Mail S.S. Co	Mar. 24, at Noon.
Francisco v. Japan		O. & S.S. Co.	April 10 at Noon.
	Dakota (8),	Nipport Yuson Kaisha	About April 23.
	Poons (8)	P. & S. N. Co	About Mar. 20.
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ore, Pang, Clibe &c	Persia (a)	Sander, Wieler & Co.	April 2, p.m.
arow and Spangna	Wingsang (s)	Jardine, Matheson& Co	March 59
anghal	Shansi (8)	Butterfield & Swire Butterfield & Swire	March 20
nghal	Arcadia (8)	P. & O. S. N. Co	About Mar. 23.
gapore & Bombay	Banca (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.,	About Mar. 18.
	Gregory Apcar (s)	D. Sassoon & Co, Ld	Mar. 21, at 3 p.m.
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ow, Amoy & Tames	ai Daijin Maru (8)	Osaka Shosen Kalsha	Mar. 25, at 10 a.m.
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ctoria, B.C., Tacom	Lyra (8)	Dodwell & Co. Limite	d About April 4.
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The E. & A. s.s. Empire sailed from Syd- ney on March 7, via Queensland Ports, Port Darwin, Timor and Manils, and may be expected here on	SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS				
The Mogul Line s.s. Sikh sailed from		March	17, 1968	•	The transplantive even
Birkenhead for China and Japan on 28th February.	Stocks.	No. of Shares.	TOTAL COLUMN	Paid	
The T. K. K. s.s. Nippon Marie will sail from Nokohama on the 18th March for this port.	BANKS. Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. National Bank of China, Limited	80,000 99,925	\$ 125 £ 7	all	1 \$855, sales Adi A Acc
The Ben Line s.s. Benlawers, from Antwerp and London, left Singapore on the 13-h March, for this port. The C. N. Co.'s s.s. Taiyuan, from	Canton Insurance Office Cop Ed.	10,000	\$ 25) \$ 83,33	\$ 50 \$ 25	\$350, sales \$961, buyers
Australian Ports, left Sydney on March 12th, and is due here on 6th April.	Union Insurance Society, Ed., Ld.	10,000	\$ 250	6 100	Tis. 921, sales \$800, sales & sellers \$160
The P. & O. Co.'s c.s. Poons left Singa- pore for this port on the 14th March, at 8 a.m.	Ohma Fire Insurance Co., Ed. Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ed.	01000	4 400	7.5	\$84, buyers \$800, sales
The s.s. Shimosa sailed from New York on the 16th January. The Boston Co.'s s.s. Shawmut sailed from	H'kong & Whampon Dock Co Ld.,	18,000	\$ 50 \$ 25		\$153 \$21, or div.
Puget Sound on the 10th March, for Hongkong, via usual ports,	New Amoy Dock Co., Ltd., Ltd., S. C. Farnham, Boyd & Co. Ed.	10,000	8 61	w	\$16g. buyer
The Boston Tow Bost Co.'s s.s. Lyra arrived at Yokohama on March 12th. The IO. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Laisang, from	H. EAMBOATS, WUGO, MICH.		4	14.5	
Calcutta and The Straits, left Singapore for this port on 15th March, at 5 p.m.	1 th Character of Inc. (1911) 1100 and	20,000	a 60	all	\$18g, ex div., sales \$40, boyers
A tracelle state state	HK. O. and M. Steamboat Co., Ed. Indo-Ohine S. N. Company. Elmited	60,000	£ 10	all a	8241 894, cellers
Latest Advices. The M. M. Co.'s steamer Armand Behic,	Star Ferry Company. Ed	10,000	8 10	3 10	\$32, buyers \$23, sellers
with the FRENCH MAIL of the 16th Feb., left Saigon on Saturday, the	Shell Transport & Trading vo. Etc.	4 44 44 4	"TIP BILL	Tla 50	24/- Tis. 30
17th March, at 7 s.m., and may be expected here on or about Tuesday,	Shanghal Tug & Lighter Co., Etc., do. Preference.	100,000	11-: 50	Tis, 5	Tls. 60, sellers Tls. 50, sellers
the 20th March. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from	China Guer Company, Elmiceum	20,000	Ø. 200		\$208, actions
Hongkong on the 13th January. The N. Y. K. s.s. Baralong (Bucknall Line) left Shanghai for this port on	Buson Sugar Company Limited Perak Sugar Cultivation Co., Ed	7,000	Tle. 50	T 60	\$35, sallers Tls. 70
the 16th March, and is expected to arrive here on the 19th March.	HK. & Kow. Whari & Godown Co.	80,000 10,000	P . DU	all	\$1011 ex div.
	Shanghal and Hongkew Wharf Co.	20,000 12,000	rie, 100	Ты100	Tis. 2223
A Pillar Box has been placed at	Hongkong Hand Investment and	60,000	8 100	100	8114, sales & buyers
Pokfulam Police Station. It will be cleared daily at noon. There will be a	Agency Company, Himitad Stanghai Hand Investment Co., Ld. Kowloon Hand and Building Com.	52,000		Tis.50	Tlr. 115
delivery of letters at Pokfulam leaving the G. P. O. daily at 10.30 a.m.	pany Band & Rollding Co., Ed.	8,764	\$ 50 Tls. 25	TL. 25	#87 sailers Tis. 12, buyers
	West Foint Building Co., Himited	12,500	\$ 50	8 50	\$111. sales & sellers \$53
POST OFFICE NOTICES.	HR High-Level Tramways Co., bd.		, ,	3.0	8215, bayer.
Mails will close:	St clébé Francaise des Charbon- nages du Tonkin. Raub Aust. Gold Mining Co., Ed			31.5	\$190 \$3}, saigs
For HOIHOW & BANGKOK.—. Per Pilsanulok, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 18th March.	Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd	12,000 2,000	8 50 T.Tle 50	all Tis.50	8132, salter.
For SINUAPORE, COLOMBO & ODESSA.—	Attor House Hotel Co., But. (5 he.)	00,000	5 20	* 3\	\$318
Per Kostroma, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 18th March. For SINGAPORE & BOMBAY.—	A. S. Watson & Co., Limited.		6 Yu	3 10	613, sales 66, sellers
Per Bunca, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the	IIK. and China Gas Co., Limited Shanghaf Gas Company, Etd Hongkong Electric Co., Elmited	8,000	E 10 Tis. 50	Tis.50	Tis. 122), buyers
For MACAO.— Per Heungshan, at 1.15 p.m., on Mon-	MAN HIGHERICE (ILOW LINES)	80,000	10	10	\$16; sellers
day, the 18th March. For SWATOW, AMOY, FOOCHOW & SHANGHAL.—	Green Island Coment Co., Ed.		4	10	
Per Shoshu Maru, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the 19th March.	Bells Asbestos Eastern Agency.	100	£- 12/8	12/6	871, buyers
For SWATOW & SHANGHAL.— Per Wingsang, at 5 p.m., on Monday.	United Asbestos Oriental Agency,	15,000	10 10	10 10	\$160 \$10. sollors
For SWATOW, AMOY, & POOCHOW. Per Haitan, at 10 a.m., on Tuesday, the	Hongkong Dalry Farm Co. Limited	5,000 7,200	25 8 2 0	£ 20	\$16 \$230, bayrer Tis. 420, bayer
For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-	H'kong Robe Manufactory Co., Ed.	125,000	10	9 10	\$143, ex div. \$165, sellere
Per Kumsang, at 2 p.m., on Tuesday,	Ewo Cotton Spinning and West	20,000	TI:, 5)		Tis. 67, buyees
For MANIL4.—	ing Co., Ld. Lacu-Kang-Mow Cotton Spinning	. 2 2 m	9.1		Tis. 60
Per Taming, at 3 p.m., on Tuesday, the 20th March.	and Weaving Co., Ed.	1 1 1 1 1		Tia5)	Tls. 250
MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET	China Provident Loan Indiagna	20 0, 000 60. 000	10	10	99, sale: de sellers
The French Contract Packet Oceanien vill be despatched on TUESDAY, the 20th March, with Mails for the United	China Borneo Company, Ltd	1,200	1	ALL	\$10, auller: \$36
Kingdom, the Continent of Europe, and places beyond, via Marseilles; to	Wm. Powell, Ed	3,000		1 13 1 31	811
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